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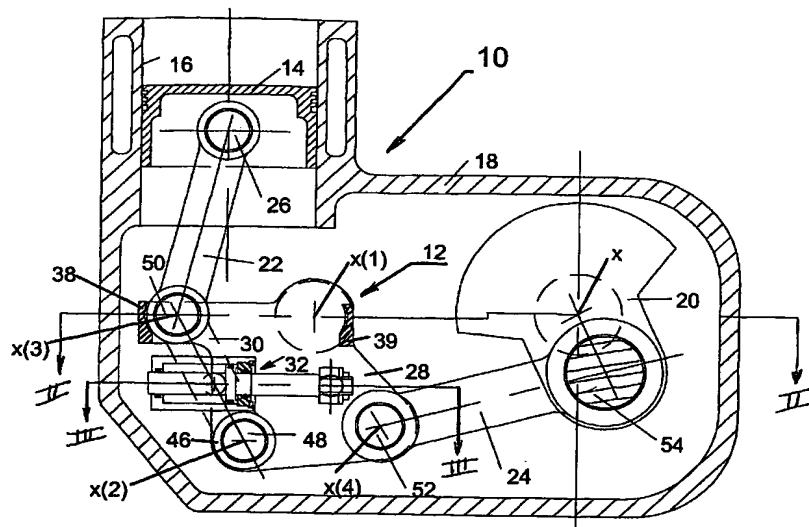
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(57) **Abstract:** A rocking mechanism (12) through which linear reciprocating movement of a piston (14) of an internal combustion engine (10) can be transferred, from the remote end of a connecting rod (22) on which the piston is mounted, to a crankshaft (20). The mechanism includes: a rocking member (28); Mountings (40) by which the rocking member is mountable in relation to the crankcase (18) for the engine, for reversible rocking movement on a first axis (X1); A link member (30) pivotally connected at one end, to the rocking member so as to be pivotable relative to the rocking member on a second axis (X2) between two extreme positions; and Holding means (32)

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